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Professor P.A. Munz,
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Dear Prof. Munz:

I am sending you a specimen of *Bergia texana*, *Polygala fishiae*, *Martynia louisiana*, *Spiraea douglasii*, in case you find that I have erred in naming any of these let me know what you think they are.

Also am I sending you a specimen of what I have called *Chenopodium rubrum*, though I must say that the descriptions of that species certainly vary. You thought that it might be *Aphanisma*, but the seed and pericarp do not seem to me to suit that plant. If you can determine what it is, I should like to know.

Also am I sending a *Physalis*, termed by me *pruinosa*, which I would like you to determine.

Also a specimen of what seems to be an *Atriplex*, but with only staminate flowers, likewise for determination if possible.

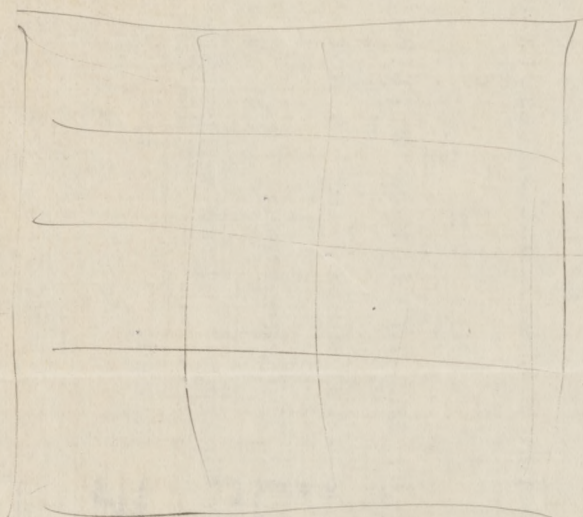
Also another small plant which I shall not attempt to give a name to.

These will be in one package, and in another will be some pods of *Martynia* in their natural shape, that is not pressed, but the way they look when on the bush.

I wish to thank you for the desert flowers which are all new to me and therefore to be valued.

Sincerely yours,

H. Baer.



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